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Dear Editor,

We are very happy to hear from our manuscript acceptance by the BMC Psychiatry. Below you will find the answers for the formatting changes requested.

Major revisions:

Reference 87 - please provide full details for this reference.
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Complete details for the references was added in the text in the references list as following:


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We have changed the tables replacing graphics by Xs as recommended

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The additional files uploaded in the system were requested by the Editors and refers to the ethical approval processes of the study. It was not mentioned in the text as it should not be included in the final version of the manuscript for publication. We removed it from the system following this recommendation.

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Your sincerely,
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